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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants have filed a Request for Continued Examination  
and this is a submission filed concurrently therewith.

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 17 as shown below; a Marked-Up Copy of  
claim 17 is attached hereto:

C' 17. (Amended) A method of treating potatoes to increase crop  
yield by administering to a potato crop, at the end of the